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November 16, 2001

Kenneth McBride  
Windridge Ranch  
224 Nickerson St  
Seattle WA 98109-1622

**RE: Application No(s). G4-32961**

Earlier this year, the Department of Ecology issued an Emergency Drought Authorization under the above-referenced application number for the use of emergency wells in the Yakima River basins to supplement reduced deliveries during this irrigation season. In some cases new wells were approved for this purpose.

One of the provisions of the authorizations was that a flow meter must be installed, water use monitored, and the water use records submitted to the department at the end of the irrigation season. At this time, I am writing to request the metering reports on these wells. If you did not drill a well that was authorized, or did not use water that was authorized, please let us know.

My staff will be conducting end of irrigation season field visits in the near future. Your meter records and information on the completion of new wells is greatly appreciated.

If you have questions, please call Suzanne Blakeney at (509) 454-7294.

Sincerely,

Phil Crane, Unit Supervisor  
Water Resources Program

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June 4, 2001

To: Carroll Palmer, Yakama Nation

RE: Emergency Drought Change Authorizations re:  
G4-32982, G4-32983, G4-32973, G4-32978, G4-32961

Enclosed are copies of the Department of Ecology's Emergency Drought Authorization(s), which constitutes our determination and order regarding the above-referenced application(s). If you have any questions or concerns about any of this information, please call Carol Mortensen of the Department of Ecology at (509) 575-2597.

This Order may be appealed pursuant to RCW Chapter 43.21B. The person to whom this Order is issued must file an appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Order. Send the appeal to: Pollution Control Hearings Board, P.O. Box 40903, Olympia, Washington 98504-0903. At the same time, a copy of the appeal must be sent to: Department of Ecology, Fiscal Office, P.O. Box 47615, Olympia, Washington 98504-7615. All others receiving notice of this Order must file an appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board within thirty (30) days of the date the Order was mailed in the same manner described above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "RFB", followed by a horizontal line.

Robert F. Barwin, Section Manager  
Water Resources Program

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Enclosures: Emergency Drought Change Authorization(s)

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